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TONY BALONEY - Pam Muñoz oz Ryan 2011

Tony, a macaroni penguin, is a middle child with very exasperating siblings, and although he never looks for trouble, it often finds him.

FULL TILT - Neal Shusterman 2012-02-21

Full of roller-coaster twists and turns, Neal Shusterman's page-turner is an Orpheus-like adventure into one boy's psyche. Sixteen-year-old Blake and his younger brother, Quinn, are exact opposites. Blake is the responsible member of the family. He constantly has to keep an eye on the fearless Quinn, whose thrill-seeking sometimes goes too far. But the stakes get higher when Blake has to chase Quinn into a bizarre phantom carnival that traps its customers forever. In order to escape, Blake must survive seven deadly rides by dawn, each of which represents a deep, personal fear--from a carousel of stampeding animals to a hall of mirrors that changes people into their deformed reflections. Blake ultimately has to face up to a horrible secret from his own past to save himself and his brother--that is, if the carnival doesn't claim their souls first!

THE ROSE THAT GREW FROM CONCRETE - Tupac Shakur 2009-02-03

A collection of verse by the late hip-hop star Tupac Shakur includes more than one hundred poems confronting such wide-ranging topics as poverty, motherhood, Van Gogh, and Mandela.

MA ANALAND Pam Muñoz oz Ryan 2020-03-03

Newbery Honoree Pam Muñoz oz Ryan weaves an entrancing tale of courage and self-discovery.

BECOMING NAOMI LEON - Pam Muñoz Ryan 2012-10-01

A reissue of Pam Muñoz Ryan's bestselling backlist with a distinctive author treatment and new cover art by Raul Colon. Naomi Soledad Leon Outlaw has had a lot to contend with in her young life, her name for one. Then there are her clothes (sewn in polyester by Gram), her difficulty speaking up, and her status at school as "nobody special." But according to Gram, most problems can be overcome with positive thinking. And with Gram and her little brother, Owen, Naomi's life at Avocado Acres Trailer Rancho in California is happy and peaceful...until their mother reappears after seven years of being gone, stirring up all sorts of questions and challenging Naomi to discover and proclaim who she really is.

ESPERANZA RISING - 2011-09

ESPERANZA RISING STUDENT PACKET - Novel Units, Inc. Staff 2003

Teacher guide contains reproducible pages of study questions, vocabulary and comprehensions activities, project and essay ideas, quizzes and unit test.

HENRY'S FREEDOM BOX - Ellen Levine 2016-03-29

A stirring, dramatic story of a slave who mails himself to freedom by a Jane Addams Peace Award-winning author and a Coretta Scott King Award-winning artist. Henry Brown doesn't know how old he is. Nobody keeps records of slaves' birthdays. All the time he dreams about freedom, but that dream seems farther away than ever when he is torn from his family and put to work in a warehouse. Henry grows up and marries, but he is again devastated when his family is sold at the slave market. Then one day, as he lifts a crate at the warehouse, he knows exactly what he must do: He will mail himself to the North. After an arduous journey in the crate, Henry finally has a birthday -- his first day of freedom.

THE PARKER INHERITANCE - Varian Johnson 2018-03-27

A Coretta Scott King Author Honor and Boston Globe / Horn Book Honor winner!"Powerful.... Johnson writes about the long shadows of the past with such ambition that any reader with a taste for mystery will appreciate the puzzle Candice and Brandon must solve." -- The New York Times Book ReviewWhen Candice finds a letter in an old attic in Lambert, South Carolina, she isn't sure she should read it. It's addressed to her grandmother, who left the town in shame. But the letter describes a young woman. An injustice that happened decades ago. A mystery unfolding its writer. And the fortune that awaits the person who solves the puzzle. So with the help of Brandon, the quiet boy across the street, she begins to decipher the clues. The challenge will lead them deep into Lambert's history, full of ugly deeds, forgotten heroes, and one great love; and deeper into their own families, with their own unspoken secrets. Can they find the fortune and fulfill the letter's promise before the answers slip into the past yet again?

ESPERANZA RISING - Holt Rinehart & Winston 2002-01-01

Esperanza and her mother are forced to leave their life of wealth and privilege in Mexico to go work in the labor camps of Southern California, where they must adapt to the harsh circumstances facing Mexican farm workers on the eve of the Great Depression.

BINK & GOLLIE - Kate DiCamillo 2010

Two roller-skating best friends--one tiny, one tall--share three comical adventures involving outrageously bright socks, an impromptu trek to the Andes, and a most unlikely marvelous companion.

WHEN THE SOLDIERS WERE GONE - Vera W. Propp 2008-07-10

After the German occupation of the Netherlands, Benjamin leaves the Christian family with whom he had been living and is reunited with his real Jewish parents who returned from hiding and whom Benjamin doesn't remember. Reprint.

A LITERATURE KIT FOR ESPERANZA RISING BY PAM MUÑOZ OZ RYAN Chad Ibbotson 2018

ESPERANZA RISING NOVEL UNITS TEACHER GUIDE - Novel Units 2019-07-15

About the author -- Characters -- Initiating activities -- Vocabulary activities -- Thirteen sections: each section contains: summary, vocabulary, discussion questions, and supplementary activities -- Post-reading discussion questions -- Post-reading extension activities -- Assessment.

ESPERANZA RISING: AN INSTRUCTIONAL GUIDE FOR LITERATURE - Kristin Kemp 2016-09-01

Esperanza Rising: An Instructional Guide for Literature provides lesson plans and activities for this award-winning literary work. This valuable resource guides teachers with ways to add rigor with complex literature. Text-dependent questions help students analyze the text with higher-order thinking skills, with lessons focused on story elements and vocabulary. Close reading activities throughout the literature units encourages students to use textual evidence as they revisit passages to respond more critically. With various methods of assessing comprehension, this instructional guide offers strategies for cross-curricular activities as students build a greater understanding of this great literary work.

UNSCHOOLED - Allan Woodrow 2017-08-29

Allan Woodrow is back with another pitch-perfect middle-grade novel full of hilarious antics, epic arguments, and a fifth grade that just doesn't get along! This year's fifth graders are the worst Principal Klein has ever seen. But he's hoping that Spirit Week can teach them teamwork, with a top secret prize for the winning team as incentive. Best friends George and Lilly have been looking forward to Spirit Week all year. They might be complete opposites, but they can't wait to be on the winning team together. When their classes end up rivals, with Lilly leading Team Red and George leading Team Blue, the friends swear they can compete and remain best friends. But suddenly there are slimed lockers, sabotaged costumes, and class pets held hostage. As the mischief escalates, it threatens everything, including the prize. Because if Principal Klein finds out, Spirit Week will be canceled and the students will spend the rest of the year in detention. Can George and Lilly find a way to fix their friendship and get the entire fifth grade to play fair, or is the most awesome week of fifth grade about to make this the worst school year ever?

ESPERANZA RISING - Pam Muñoz oz Ryan 2001

ESPERANZA RISING - LITERATURE KIT GR. 5-6 - Chad Ibbotson 2017-11-22

Experience the hardships of starting over during the Great Depression. The activities act as a great jumping-off point for teaching in a student-guided manner. Students put themselves in Esperanza's shoes and describe her changing viewpoints as she becomes exposed to the lives of those poorer than she once was. Determine whether a strike will cause conflict later in the story based on what is already known. Put events in order as they happen immediately following the death of Esperanza's father. Make predictions on the outcome of Esperanza's attempts to get a job. Compare the mythological story of the phoenix to that of Esperanza. Compare the different settings of the book, from Esperanza's home in Mexico to the work camps in California. Aligned to your state standards, additional crossword, word search, comprehension quiz and answer key are also included. About the Novel: Esperanza Rising tells the story of a young girl who's world gets turned upside-down, and must flee to America to start a new life. Esperanza Ortega grew up in luxury on her father's ranch in Mexico. She had servants, nice clothes and lavish parties. Her sheltered life

COMES CRASHING DOWN WHEN HER FATHER IS KILLED BY RENEGADES WHILE TENDING TO A BROKEN FENCE ON HIS PROPERTY. THEIR HOME IS LEFT TO ESPERANZA AND HER MOTHER, BUT THE LAND IS LEFT TO HER FATHER’S STEPBROTHERS. AFTER THEIR HOME IS BURNED DOWN, ESPERANZA, HER MOTHER AND A FEW LOYAL SERVANTS FLEE TO AMERICA TO START BETTER LIVES. UNFORTUNATELY FOR THEM, IT’S THE GREAT DEPRESSION AND THEIR NEW LIVES WON’T BE SO GREAT. ESPERANZA IS IMMEDIATELY FLUNG INTO POVERTY AND STRUGGLES TO ADJUST. WHEN THEY MAKE IT TO THE STATES, ESPERANZA FALLS INTO A DEEP DEPRESSION. WHEN HER MOTHER BECOMES SICK, ESPERANZA MUST GROW UP AND LEARN TO APPRECIATE WHAT SHE HAS. THIS RICHES-TO-RAGS STORY SHOWS THAT IT’S NOT WHAT YOU POSSESS THAT BRING YOU HAPPINESS, BUT THE PEOPLE YOU SHARE IT WITH.

THE GILDED GIRL - ALYSSA COLMAN 2021-04-06

HEARTFELT, FAST-PACED, AND UTTERLY ABSORBING, THE GILDED GIRL IS ALYSSA COLMAN’S SPARKLING DEBUT NOVEL ABOUT DETERMINATION, SPIRIT, AND THE MAGIC OF FRIENDSHIP. ANY CHILD CAN SPARK MAGIC, BUT ONLY THE ELITE ARE ALLOWED TO KINDLE IT. THOSE DENIED ACCESS TO THE SECRETS OF THE KINDLING RITUAL WILL SEE THEIR MAGIC SNUFFED OUT BEFORE THEIR THIRTEENTH BIRTHDAY. MISS POSTERITY’S ACADEMY FOR PRACTICAL MAGIC IS THE BEST KINDLING SCHOOL IN NEW YORK CITY—AND WEALTHY TWELVE-YEAR-OLD EMMA HARRIS IS ACCUSTOMED TO THE BEST. BUT WHEN HER FATHER DIES, LEAVING HER PENNILESS, EMMA IS REDUCED TO WORKING OFF HER DEBTS TO MISS POSTERITY ALONGSIDE IZZY, A DARING SERVANT GIRL WHO REFUSES TO LET HER MAGIC BE SNUFFED OUT, EVEN IF SOCIETY DICTATES SHE MUST. EMMA AND IZZY RELUCTANTLY FORM A PACT: IF IZZY TEACHES EMMA HOW TO SURVIVE AS A SERVANT, EMMA WILL REVEAL TO IZZY WHAT SHE KNOWS ABOUT MAGIC. ALONG THE WAY, THEY ENCOUNTER QUIZZES THAT LITERALLY POP, SHY LIBRARIES, AND TALKING CATS (THAT IS, HOUSE DRAGONS). BUT WHEN ANOTHER STUDENT’S KINDLING GOES HORRIBLY WRONG, REVEALING THE FIERY DANGERS OF MAGIC, EMMA AND IZZY MUST SET ASIDE THEIR DIFFERENCES OR RISK THEIR MAGIC BEING SNUFFED OUT FOREVER.

RIDING FREEDOM - PAM MUNOZ RYAN 2013-10-29

A REISSUE OF PAM MUNOZ RYAN’S BESTSELLING BACKLIST WITH A DISTINCTIVE NEW AUTHOR TREATMENT. IN THIS FAST-PACED, COURAGEOUS, AND INSPIRING STORY, READERS ADVENTURE WITH CHARLOTTE PARKHURST AS SHE FIRST FINDS WORK AS A STABLE HAND, BECOMES A FAMOUS STAGE-COACH DRIVER (PERFORMING BRAVE FEATS AND OUTWITTING BANDITS), FINDS LOVE AS A WOMAN BUT LATER RESUMES HER IDENTITY AS A MAN AFTER THE LOSS OF A BABY AND THE TRAGIC DEATH OF HER HUSBAND, AND ULTIMATELY SETTLES OUT WEST ON THE FARM SHE’D DREAMED OF HAVING SINCE CHILDHOOD. IT WASN’T UNTIL AFTER HER DEATH THAT ANYONE DISCOVERED SHE WAS A WOMAN.

ESPERANZA RISING - PAM MURPHY OZ RYAN 2000

ESPERANZA AND HER MOTHER ARE FORCED TO LEAVE THEIR LIFE OF WEALTH AND PRIVILEGE IN MEXICO TO GO WORK IN THE LABOR CAMPS OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA, WHERE THEY MUST ADAPT TO THE HARSH CIRCUMSTANCES FACING MEXICAN FARM WORKERS ON THE EVE OF THE GREAT DEPRESSION.

THE COLOR OF MY WORDS - LYNN JOSEPH 2019-12-23

AMERICAN AWARDS AWARD WINNER “AN ACHINGLY BEAUTIFUL STORY.”—KIRKUS (STARRED REVIEW) “ELOQUENT.”—BOOKLIST (STARRED REVIEW) “LOVELY AND LYRICAL.”—SCHOOL LIBRARY JOURNAL THIS POWERFUL AND RESONANT AMERICAN AWARDS-WINNING NOVEL TELLS THE STORY OF A YOUNG GIRL’S STRUGGLE TO FIND HER PLACE IN THE WORLD AND TO BECOME A WRITER IN A COUNTRY WHERE WORDS ARE FEARED. SEAMLESSLY INTERWEAVING BOTH POETRY AND PROSE, LYNN JOSEPH’S ACCLAIMED DEBUT IS A LUSH AND LYRICAL JOURNEY INTO A LANDSCAPE AND CULTURE OF THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC. THE COLOR OF MY WORDS EXPLORES THE PAIN AND POETRY OF DISCOVERING WHAT IT MEANS TO BE PART OF A FAMILY, WHAT IT TAKES TO FIND YOUR VOICE AND THE MEANS FOR IT TO BE HEARD, AND HOW IT FEELS TO WRITE IT ALL DOWN.

PAINT THE WIND - PAM MURPHY OZ RYAN 2012-11-01

A SHELTERED GIRL. A WILD HORSE. AN UNFORGETTABLE JOURNEY. MAYA LIVES LIKE A CAPTIVE. AT GRANDMOTHER’S HOUSE IN CALIFORNIA, EVERYTHING IS FORBIDDEN: FRIENDS, FUN, EVEN MEMORIES. AND HER LIFE IS BUILT ON LIES: LIES GRANDMOTHER TELLS HER ABOUT HER DEAD MOTHER, LIES MAYA TELLS TO IMPRESS OR MANIPULATE. BUT THEN SHE MOVES TO THE VAST WYOMING WILDERNESS WHERE HER MOTHER’S FAMILY AWAITS - KIND, RUGGED PEOPLE WHO HAVE NO TOLERANCE FOR LIES. THEY CHALLENGE MAYA TO CONFRONT THE TRUTH ABOUT WHO SHE IS. AND A MYSTERIOUS MUSTANG CALLED ARTEMISIA WAITS, TOO. SHE HOLDS THE KEY TO MAYA’S FREEDOM. BUT TO FIND IT, MAYA WILL HAVE TO RISK EVERYTHING, INCLUDING HER LIFE.

ECHO - PAM MURPHY OZ RYAN 2015-02-24

2016 NEWBERY HONOR BOOK NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER AN IMPASSIONED, UPLIFTING, AND VIRTUOSIC TOUR DE FORCE FROM A TREASURED STORYTELLER! LOST AND ALONE IN A FORBIDDEN FOREST, OTTO MEETS THREE MYSTERIOUS SISTERS AND SUDDENLY FINDS HIMSELF ENTWINED IN A PUZZLING QUEST INVOLVING A PROPHECY, A PROMISE, AND A HARMONICA. DECADES LATER, FRIEDRICH IN GERMANY, MIKE IN PENNSYLVANIA, AND IVY IN CALIFORNIA EACH, IN TURN, BECOME INTERWOVEN WHEN THE VERY SAME HARMONICA LANDS IN THEIR LIVES. ALL THE CHILDREN FACE DAUNTING CHALLENGES: RESCUING A FATHER, PROTECTING A BROTHER, HOLDING A FAMILY TOGETHER. AND ULTIMATELY, PULLED BY THE INVISIBLE THREAD OF DESTINY, THEIR SUSPENSEFUL SOLO STORIES CONVERGE IN AN ORCHESTRAL CRESCENDO. RICHLIY IMAGINED AND MASTERFULLY CRAFTED, ECHO PUSHES THE BOUNDARIES OF GENRE, FORM, AND STORYTELLING INNOVATION TO CREATE A WHOLLY ORIGINAL NOVEL THAT WILL RESOUND IN YOUR HEART LONG AFTER THE LAST NOTE HAS BEEN STRUCK.

CITY OF THIEVES (BATTLE DRAGONS #1) - ALEX LONDON 2021-09-21

IN A MODERN MEGA-CITY BUILT AROUND DRAGONS, ONE BOY GETS CAUGHT UP IN THE WORLD OF UNDERGROUND DRAGON BATTLES AND A HIGH-STAKES GANG WAR THAT COULD TEAR HIS FAMILY APART. ONCE, DRAGONS NEARLY DROVE THEMSELVES TO EXTINCTION. BUT IN THE CITY OF DRAKOPOLIS, HUMANS DOMESTICATED THEM CENTURIES AGO. NOW DRAGONS HAUL THE CITY’S CARGO, TAXI ITS BUSTLING

PEOPLE BETWEEN SKYSCRAPERS, AND ADVERTISE ITS WARES IN BRIGHT, NEON DISPLAYS. MOST FAMOUSLY OF ALL, THE DRAGONS BATTLE. DIFFERENT BREEDS TAKE TO THE SKIES IN NIGHTTIME BOUTS BETWEEN THE INFAMOUS KINS—CRIMINAL GANGS WHO RULE THROUGH VIOLENCE AND INTIMIDATION. ABEL HAS ALWAYS LOVED DRAGONS, BUT AFTER A DISASTROUS SHOWING IN HIS DRAGON RIDER’S EXAM, HE’S DESTINED NEVER TO FLY ONE HIMSELF. ALL THAT CHANGES THE NIGHT HIS SISTER APPEARS AT HIS WINDOW, ENTRUSTING HIM WITH A SECRET...AND A STOLEN DRAGON. TURNS OUT, HIS BIG SISTER IS A DRAGON THIEF! TOO BAD HIS OLDER BROTHER IS A RISING STAR IN DRAKOPOLIS LAW ENFORCEMENT... TO PROTECT HIS FRIENDS AND HIS FAMILY, ABEL MUST PARTNER WITH THE STOLEN BEAST, RIDING IN KIN BATTLES AND KEEPING MORE SECRETS THAN A DRAGON HAS SCALES. WHEN EVERYONE WANTS HIM FIGHTING ON THEIR SIDE, CAN ABEL FIGURE OUT WHAT’S WORTH FIGHTING FOR?

BERLIOZ THE BEAR - JAN BRETT 1996-10-15

A “READING RAINBOW” FEATURE TITLE ZUM, ZUM, BUZZ... ZUM, ZUM, BUZZ... WHAT’S THAT STRANGE BUZZ COMING FROM THE DOUBLE BASS? BERLIOZ HAS NO TIME TO INVESTIGATE, BECAUSE HE AND HIS BEAR ORCHESTRA ARE DUE AT THE GALA BALL IN THE VILLAGE SQUARE AT EIGHT. BUT BERLIOZ IS SO WORRIED ABOUT HIS BUZZING BASS THAT HE STEERS THE MULE AND HIS BANDWAGON FULL OF MAGICIANS INTO A HOLE IN THE ROAD AND GETS STUCK. TIME IS RUNNING OUT, AND IF A ROOSTER, A CAT, A BILLY GOAT, A PLOW HORSE, AND AN OX CAN’T RESCUE THE BANDWAGON, WHO CAN? AS THE SUSPENSE MOUNTS, INTRICATE BORDERS REVEAL THE VILLAGE ANIMALS MAKING THEIR WAY TO THE SQUARE ONE BY ONE. WHEN THE CLOCK CHIMES EIGHT, THE ANIMALS, READY TO DANCE, HAVE FILLED THE SQUARE—BUT THERE’S NO SIGN OF BERLIOZ. JAN BRETT’S GLORIOUS ILLUSTRATIONS INVITE THE EYE TO LINGER OVER EXQUISITE DETAILS AND HUMOROUS NUANCES THAT ENHANCE THE STORY. THIS DELIGHTFUL CUMULATIVE TALE IS ONE THAT WILL BE LOOKED AT AGAIN AND AGAIN.

READ 180 - 2002

COMPREHENSIVE READING INTERVENTION PROGRAM DESIGNED TO MEET THE NEEDS OF ELEMENTARY TO MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS WHOSE READING ACHIEVEMENT IS BELOW THE PROFICIENT LEVEL. STAGE A PROVIDES TOOLS FOR YOUNG STRUGGLING READERS IN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TO DEVELOP CRITICAL LITERACY SKILLS. STAGE B PROVIDES MIDDLE SCHOOL STRUGGLING READERS WITH TOPICS DESIGNED FOR THEIR LEVEL OF READING THAT HOLD THEIR INTEREST.

ESPERANZA RISING (SCHOLASTIC GOLD) - PAM MURPHY OZ RYAN 2012-10-01

ESPERANZA RISING JOINS THE SCHOLASTIC GOLD LINE, WHICH FEATURES AWARD-WINNING AND BELOVED NOVELS. INCLUDES EXCLUSIVE BONUS CONTENT! ESPERANZA THOUGHT SHE’D ALWAYS LIVE A PRIVILEGED LIFE ON HER FAMILY’S RANCH IN MEXICO. SHE’D ALWAYS HAVE FANCY DRESSES, A BEAUTIFUL HOME FILLED WITH SERVANTS, AND MAMA, PAPA, AND ABUELITA TO CARE FOR HER. BUT A SUDDEN TRAGEDY FORCES ESPERANZA AND MAMA TO FLEE TO CALIFORNIA AND SETTLE IN A MEXICAN FARM LABOR CAMP. ESPERANZA ISN’T READY FOR THE HARD WORK, FINANCIAL STRUGGLES BROUGHT ON BY THE GREAT DEPRESSION, OR LACK OF ACCEPTANCE SHE NOW FACES. WHEN MAMA GETS SICK AND A STRIKE FOR BETTER WORKING CONDITIONS THREATENS TO UPROOT THEIR NEW LIFE, ESPERANZA MUST FIND A WAY TO RISE ABOVE HER DIFFICULT CIRCUMSTANCES—BECAUSE MAMA’S LIFE, AND HER OWN, DEPEND ON IT.

HOPE RISING - CASEY GWINN 2018-05-15

LEARN TO OVERCOME TRAUMA, ADVERSITY, AND STRUGGLE BY UNLEASHING THE SCIENCE OF HOPE IN YOUR DAILY LIFE WITH THIS INSPIRING AND INFORMATIVE GUIDE. HOPE IS MUCH MORE THAN WISFUL THINKING. SCIENCE TELLS US THAT IT IS THE MOST PREDICTIVE INDICATOR OF WELL-BEING IN A PERSON’S LIFE. HOPE IS MEASURABLE. IT IS MALLEABLE. AND IT CHANGES LIVES. IN HOPE RISING, CASEY GWINN AND CHAN HELLMAN REVEAL THE LATEST SCIENCE OF HOPE USING NEARLY 2,000 PUBLISHED STUDIES, INCLUDING THEIR OWN RESEARCH. BASED ON THEIR FINDINGS, THEY MAKE AN IMPASSIONED CALL FOR HOPE TO BE THE FOCUS NOT ONLY OF OUR PERSONAL LIVES, BUT OF PUBLIC POLICY FOR EDUCATION, BUSINESS, SOCIAL SERVICES, AND EVERY PART OF SOCIETY. HOPE RISING PROVIDES A ROADMAP TO MEASURE HOPE IN YOUR LIFE. IT TEACHES YOU TO ASSESS WHAT MAY HAVE ROBBED YOU OF HOPE, AND THEN PROVIDES STRATEGIES TO LET YOUR HOPE FLOURISH ONCE AGAIN. THE AUTHORS CHALLENGE EVERY READER TO BE HONEST ABOUT THEIR OWN STRUGGLES AND END THE CYCLE OF SHAME AND BLAME RELATED TO TRAUMA, ILLNESS, AND ABUSE. THESE ARE IMPORTANT FIRST STEPS TOWARD INCREASING YOUR HOPE SCORE—AND THRIVING BECAUSE OF IT.

ESPERANZA RENACE (ESPERANZA RISING) - PAM MURPHY OZ RYAN 2015-10-27

A MEXICAN “GRAPES OF WRATH,” BASED ON A FAMILY STORY, FROM THE AWARD-WINNING AUTHOR PAM MURPHY OZ RYAN. ESPERANZA PENSABA QUE SIEMPRE VIVIRÍA A CON SU FAMILIA EN SU RANCHO EN MEXICO, Y QUE SIEMPRE TENDRÍA HERMOSOS VESTIDOS Y UNA LINDA CASA LLENA DE SIRVIENTES. PERO UNA TRAGEDIA INESPERADA LAS OBLIGA A ELLA Y A SU MADRE A ESCAPAR A CALIFORNIA EN LA POCA DE LA GRAN DEPRESIÓN, Y A ASENTARSE EN UN CAMPAMENTO PARA TRABAJADORES AGRÍCOLAS MEXICANOS. ESPERANZA NO ESTABA PREPARADA PARA EL TRABAJO DURO, LAS PENURIAS ECONÓMICAS O LA FALTA DE ACEPTACIÓN QUE AHORA SUFRE; PERO CUANDO SU NUEVA VIDA SE VE AMENAZADA, DEBERÁ BUSCAR LA MANERA DE SOBREPONERSE A LAS DIFICULTADES: SU VIDA Y LA DE SU MADRE DEPENDEN DE ELLO. ESPERANZA THOUGHT SHE’D ALWAYS LIVE WITH HER FAMILY ON THEIR RANCH IN MEXICO--SHE’D ALWAYS HAVE FANCY DRESSES, A BEAUTIFUL HOME, AND SERVANTS. BUT A SUDDEN TRAGEDY FORCES ESPERANZA AND MAMA TO FLEE TO CALIFORNIA DURING THE GREAT DEPRESSION, AND TO SETTLE IN A CAMP FOR MEXICAN FARM WORKERS. ESPERANZA ISN’T READY FOR THE HARD LABOR, FINANCIAL STRUGGLES, OR LACK OF ACCEPTANCE SHE NOW FACES. WHEN THEIR NEW LIFE IS THREATENED, ESPERANZA MUST FIND A WAY TO RISE ABOVE HER DIFFICULT CIRCUMSTANCES--MAMA’S LIFE, AND HER OWN, DEPEND ON IT.

STEALING OUR WAY HOME - CECILIA GALANTE 2017-06-27

SAYING GOODBYE IS NEVER EASY.EVERYTHING CHANGED AFTER PIPPA AND JACK’S MOTHER DIED LAST SPRING. PIPPA STOPPED SPEAKING, JACK STARTED PICKING FIGHTS, AND THEIR FATHER’S STRUGGLING BUSINESS BEGAN TO FAIL. NOW, WITH SCHOOL STARTING AGAIN, PIPPA DOESN’T KNOW HOW SHE’LL MANAGE A CLASS PRESENTATION ON SPARTAN WARRIORS WHEN SHE CAN’T EVEN FIND THE WORDS TO TELL HER FATHER THAT SHE WISHES HE WERE HOME MORE. AND JACK IS STRUGGLING TO UNDERSTAND HIS FEELINGS FOR THE MYSTERIOUS GIRL

NEXT DOOR. BUT WHEN JACK AND PIPPA REALIZE THAT THEIR DAD IS GETTING SO DESPERATE FOR CASH TO KEEP THE FAMILY AFLOAT THAT HE MIGHT BE GOING TO EXTREME -- AND ILLEGAL -- LENGTHS TO MAKE ENDS MEET, THEY ARE FACED WITH THE BIGGEST DECISION OF THEIR LIVES. HOW FAR ARE THEY WILLING TO GO TO KEEP THEIR FAMILY TOGETHER? *STEALING OUR WAY HOME* IS A POIGNANT, DEEPLY AFFECTING NOVEL ABOUT FALLING APART, FINDING YOUR VOICE, AND THE POWER OF LETTING GO.

FLY GUY PRESENTS: DOGS - TEDD ARNOLD 2022-10-18

FLY GUY IS BUZZING TO LEARN ALL ABOUT DOGS! WHILE VISITING A DOG SHOW, BUZZ AND FLY GUY LEARN ALL ABOUT MAN'S BEST FRIEND! FROM EXPLORING DIFFERENT BREEDS, TO FAMOUS DOGS THROUGHOUT HISTORY, TO LEARNING ALL ABOUT WORKING DOGS AND MORE, THERE'S PLENTY FOR THE BEST FRIENDS TO EXPLORE. AWARD-WINNING AUTHOR-ILLUSTRATOR TEDD ARNOLD BRINGS NONFICTION TO LIFE FOR BEGINNING READERS IN THE NEXT BOOK IN THE KID-FAVORITE FLY GUY PRESENTS SERIES. THERE ARE HUMOROUS ILLUSTRATIONS AND ENGAGING PHOTOGRAPHS THROUGHOUT. AND THE FRONT COVER FEATURES EYE-CATCHING HOLOGRAPHIC FOIL!

ESPERANZA RISING - PAM MUNOZ RYAN 2007-01-09

ESPERANZA AND HER MOTHER ARE FORCED TO LEAVE THEIR LIFE OF WEALTH AND PRIVILEGE IN MEXICO TO GO WORK IN THE LABOR CAMPS OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA, WHERE THEY MUST ADAPT TO THE HARSH CIRCUMSTANCES FACING MEXICAN FARM WORKERS ON THE EVE OF THE GREAT DEPRESSION. READ BY TRINI ALVARADO. BOOK AVAILABLE.

ESPERANZA RISING, LITERATURE BOOK LEVEL 6 UNIT 6 BOOK 2 - PAM MUNOZ RYAN 2009-01-05

ESPERANZA AND HER MOTHER ARE FORCED TO LEAVE THEIR LIFE OF WEALTH AND PRIVILEGE IN MEXICO TO GO WORK IN THE LABOR CAMPS OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA, WHERE THEY MUST ADAPT TO THE HARSH CIRCUMSTANCES FACING MEXICAN FARM WORKERS ON THE EVE OF THE GREAT DEPRESSION.

THE DREAMER - PAM MUNOZ RYAN 2012-03-01

A FICTIONALIZED BIOGRAPHY OF THE NOBEL PRIZE-WINNING CHILEAN POET PABLO NERUDA.

CHILDREN'S LITERATURE, BRIEFLY - TERRELL A. YOUNG 2019

A CONCISE, ENGAGING, PRACTICAL OVERVIEW OF CHILDREN'S LITERATURE THAT KEEPS THE FOCUS ON THE BOOKS CHILDREN READ. THIS BRIEF INTRODUCTION TO CHILDREN'S LITERATURE GENRES LEAVES TIME TO ACTUALLY READ CHILDREN'S BOOKS. WRITTEN ON THE ASSUMPTION THAT THE FOCUS OF A CHILDREN'S LITERATURE COURSE SHOULD BE ON THE ACTUAL BOOKS THAT CHILDREN READ, THE AUTHORS FIRST WROTE THIS BOOK IN 1996 AS A "TEXTBOOK FOR PEOPLE WHO DON'T LIKE CHILDREN'S LITERATURE TEXTBOOKS." TODAY IT SERVES AS AN OVERVIEW TO SHED LIGHT ON THE ESSENTIALS OF CHILDREN'S LITERATURE AND HOW TO USE IT EFFECTIVELY

WITH YOUNG READERS, FROM PREK TO 8TH GRADE. THE AUTHORS USE AN ENJOYABLE, CONVERSATIONAL STYLE TO ACHIEVE THEIR GOAL OF PROVIDING A PRACTICAL OVERVIEW OF CHILDREN'S BOOKS THAT OFFERS A FRAMEWORK AND BACKGROUND INFORMATION, WHILE KEEPING THE SPOTLIGHT ON THE BOOKS THEMSELVES.

ESPERANZA RISING - LISA KURKOV 2021-01-04

BOOK FEATURES: • 48 PAGES, ABOUT 7 INCHES X 9 INCHES • AGES 10-15, GRADES 5-9 LEVELED READERS • EASY-TO-READ PAGES WITH VIBRANT PHOTOS • FEATURES BEFORE, DURING, AND AFTER READING ACTIVITIES • DISCUSSION QUESTIONS, WRITING PROMPTS, AND PROJECTS INCLUDED
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